

FOREIGN BUSINESS MEN SEE CITY, THEN GO HOME

European Delegates to Congress of Chambers of Commerce End Tour.

PLANTS IMPRESS THEM

Surprised by Provision for Comfort of Employees in Big Factories.

Nearly 400 delegates from more than fifty different countries to the fifth international congress of chambers of commerce, which concluded its session in Boston on September 30, arrived in New York yesterday to be guests of the Merchants Association, the Chamber of Commerce and fourteen allied associations for two days.

After adjourning in Boston practically the entire delegation participated in the three weeks' tour, which took the members to Chicago and included Worcester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit, Chicago, Cincinnati, Dayton, Pittsburgh, Washington and Philadelphia. After their entertainment in this city the delegates will disperse. The majority of the delegates will sail for home Saturday.

Germany sent the largest delegation, nearly a hundred members, to the congress and Austria and Great Britain were next. The Spanish-American republics made a good showing. Italy was represented by sixty business men, and even Arabia and India had each one spokesman in the congress.

Accompanied by an executive committee of the Boston Chamber of Commerce headed by John H. Fahey, who planned and directed the American tour, the visitors arrived at the Pennsylvania station yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. In spite of the international differences now being aired abroad, entire harmony prevailed among the members.

Met at the station by reception committees of the various organizations looking out for their welfare, the delegates were taken to the Astor and Vanderbilt hotels, between which they were about equally divided.

After luncheon they went for a tour of the city, which took in Washington Square, Riverside Drive, Central Park, the City College and Columbia University. In the evening they saw "Under Many Flags" at the Hippodrome, and wound up the day with a theatre supper at Louis Martin's.

The visitors said they have been overwhelmed by the hearty welcome in the cities visited. The strongest impression they received in their investigation of industrial plants was the high perfection of organization achieved in America.

Dr. Albert Weldemann of Elberfeld, Germany, syndicate of the chamber of commerce there and a managing director of the Rhenish-Westphalian Textile Association, mentioned particularly the National Cash Register factory in Dayton, where a demonstration was given for the visitors, and the Baldwin Locomotive Works in Philadelphia.

"We were greatly surprised, too," said Dr. Weldemann, "to see the extensive provision made everywhere for the comfort and welfare of the employees. The large number of rooms, gardens, playgrounds and other devices for recreation were things which we did not meet in our own country."

"A little thing which was striking to those of us who came from Germany, but one which indicates an American characteristic, was the universal garden about the American dwelling and the absence of any fence or hedge to shut them off. The effect was most attractive; most of the smaller towns are made to resemble parks. But in a condition which could not be realized in Germany, where desire for seclusion and privacy is a pronounced characteristic."

One of the delegates is John Hammar of Stockholm, director in chief of the General Export Association of Sweden, of which the Swedish Crown Prince is honorary president and the King a patron. Mr. Hammar is chairman of the Norwegian-Swedish section of the San Francisco Exposition and will go there to make the preliminary arrangements.

Dr. Gustav Stresemann of Dresden is president of the German Economic Association. He is stopping at the Astor. Another German at the Astor is the Ironmaster of Stolberg, Wilhelm Hoesch, who is a privy councillor of commerce.

Leon Bruylle of Tilburg, Holland, one of five who represent the Netherlands, is a grain merchant. In 1909 he was president of the National Exhibition.

At the Vanderbilt are R. Faithfull Regg, chairman of the London Chamber of Commerce; Frederico Alfonso Pezet, Minister from Peru; Domingo Valdes Llano of Monterey, Mexico; C. Washington Rapelli of Argentina and Dr. Charles Christophe of Ghent, Belgium, who is an essayist of distinction.

The American Geographical Society had a reception at its house on Broadway and 16th street last night for those of the delegation who did not go to the Hippodrome. The occasion was the sixtieth anniversary of the founding of the society.

Today the city will be inspected along the waterfront on the steamer Hendrick Hudson, scheduled to set out from the pier at East River and Twenty-fourth street at 9:30 o'clock. After witnessing a fireboat drill the party will be escorted to luncheon in the Chamber of Commerce Building. Thence they go to a reception at the United Engineering Societies Building, 29 West Thirty-ninth street, where addresses will be delivered by Mayor Gaynor, representatives of the commercial organizations and members of the delegation.

GOODWIN IN FINE FRENZY.

Like He Cries About Suit—Didn't Know Lady Was Married.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 17.—Nat C. Goodwin is very angry about the suit which C. N. Dougherty, husband of Margaret Moreland, has brought charging "alienation."

The actor thinks he is the most maligned man in the country. In a public statement which he gave out today he says that Dougherty's allegations are nothing but a string of lies.

"For many years," said Goodwin, "my private life has been assailed and vilified, but generally by innuendo. When allegations are made direct it is time to call a halt."

"I never knew Miss Moreland had a husband until now. I met the lady twenty years ago and this summer she was engaged to Mr. Moreland, one of my supporters. My late accident prevented me from opening. Miss Moreland being forced to remain idle during my convalescence, I engaged her as my secretary. Miss Moreland and I never have nor do we contemplate matrimony."

SALVATION ARMY SCHOOL PLAN.

Large Fund Expected From Election Day Flag Day.

More details of the plan of the Salvation Army for schools for its workers, one in New York and one in Chicago—to constitute a memorial to Gen. William Booth, were made public yesterday. As told in The Sun last Sunday, the army will hold a nationwide tag day on election day to help raise the \$550,000 it wants to found the schools.

The schools in New York and Chicago at present each accommodate only 40 or 50 students. The heads of the army say they can use workers by the hundreds if they can get them ready. The army hopes it may obtain much more than the \$550,000 absolutely needed. It is thought election day will be the best day of the year on which to appeal to the public. Nearly everybody gets out then and the army officials believe nearly everybody is in a good humored and generous mood no matter who is elected.

Personal letters have been sent by Commander Eva Booth to officers of the army, soldiers and the pastors of churches throughout the country asking their cooperation. Officers who can afford it are asked to give \$10 apiece to the fund and their wives are invited to contribute a like amount. The rank and file are asked to give \$1 each. Miss Booth says:

"The inmates of our institutions are but poor folk, but if we know anything about them they would feel badly slighted were we to leave them out of the project. Therefore the commander has suggested that perhaps the sum of 25 cents each might be a fitting amount for them."

Children are invited to give 25 cents anyway, and more where it can be spared.

Commander Booth appeals to pastors of all churches to become responsible for \$5 or take up a special collection.

ASKS \$50,000 FOR HEART.

Suit Against A. J. McClure, Who Is Paying Former Wife \$6,000 a Year.

Archibald J. McClure, who spends his time travelling and is the son of William McClure of Albany, was sued for \$50,000 damages for breach of promise by Mrs. Helen Aragon in the Supreme Court yesterday. Carl Wheeler Bliss, attorney for Mrs. Aragon, got permission to serve the papers on McClure by mailing them to the Laurel House at Lakewood, N. J.

The complaint says that on April 6, 1910, McClure promised to marry the plaintiff and made subsequent promises on June 6, October 25 and October 28, 1910, and on March 24, 1911, at 30 West Sixty-sixth street and 74 West Forty-fifth street.

McClure is the former husband of Mrs. Anna Cassin McClure, daughter of John Cassin of Bellerose. While travelling in the West fourteen years ago McClure saw the picture of Miss Anna Cassin of Albany in a magazine, and he married her within six months.

Mrs. McClure divorced him in 1910, and got an allowance of \$6,000 a year for herself and her five-year-old son. In the same year she married Corning Parker of Albany, son of Erasmus Corning, who was at one time president of the New York Central railroad.

GIRL AND SENATOR IN COURT.

Young Woman and Escort Insistent in Broadway Restaurant.

A young woman, who said she was a debutante last year, accompanied by an elderly man, who the police say is a Connecticut State Senator, appeared in the West Side court yesterday on a charge of disorderly conduct.

They were discharged by Magistrate Kernochan and then the man charged Policeman Noar with failing to make an arrest which the young woman and he had persistently demanded at the Garden restaurant early on Thursday. He gave a fictitious name and address, and the young woman, who gave her name as Ethel Randolph, 19 years old, and said she lived on Riverside Drive, said they had stopped at the Garden restaurant after a visit at Stanley's and had seen an assault upon a young man who was seated near them.

Policeman Noar said that it was an outrage not to make an arrest, said Miss Randolph.

Edward M. Lachmar of 14 West 103d street, the restaurant victim, showed the court a copy of the complaint.

The charge against Noar was dismissed.

FAMILY PLEADS GUILTY.

Father, Mother and Son Had Been Swindling Up-State Farmers.

The entire Huggins family of Roscoe, N. Y., pleaded guilty in the United States District Court yesterday of using the mails to defraud. They are William Huggins, his wife, Florence O. Huggins, and his son, Cecil. Huggins admitted having served time for a similar offense.

When the Hugginses decided to make Roscoe township their home about a year ago they set up a meat and poultry store. They sent mail orders throughout northern New York and part of Pennsylvania. After a while farmers who had sent meat and other products to them complained to local authorities that they were getting their money.

Justice Mayer sent the elder Huggins to the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., for eighteen months and suspended sentence on Mrs. Huggins and the son.

CITY JOTTINGS.

An auto belonging to Senator Walker Percy of Alabama, stolen from in front of the Vanderbilt Hotel on September 23, was found yesterday in the Frank A. Goodman garage at 22 West Fifty-fourth street.

Mr. Goodman testified that he had bought the car for \$900 and had sold it for \$1,200.

Lizzie Salino, 2 years old, of 455 Woodward avenue, Ridgewood, Queens Borough, was burned yesterday when playing around the stove at Philip DeLacy, 21 years old, of 474 Underhill avenue, her rescuer, was badly burned about the arms and hands.

John Bernauer, a young burglar, arrested for looting the home of J. P. Morgan, Jr., pleaded guilty to burglary in the second degree and grand larceny in the first degree yesterday and was remanded until Tuesday for sentence. There are three other indictments against him.

The battleship Connecticut, flagship of the north Atlantic fleet, was placed in dry dock No. 3 immediately after her arrival at the Brooklyn Navy Yard yesterday. She was taken to the yard and his flag was hoisted down.

William B. McLain of the McLain Realty Company, who has an office in the Merchants Building and lives in Elizabeth, N. J., was sued for \$20,000 yesterday by Ellis E. Klitson. Klitson alleges that McLain induced Mrs. Klitson to leave her home and that subsequently she went to live with McLain.

Ex-President Haffen of The Bronx filed an answer yesterday to a suit for \$2,000 by the Bronx Board of Education and Harry Pultrone charging that he withheld certain materials sold by him as Borough President. Mr. Haffen declares that the plaintiffs forfeited the goods by failing to perform the terms of sale.

An open air rally of the Socialist party was called yesterday for Monday at noon at Rutgers Square, at which Eugene V. Debs will be the principal speaker. In the meantime the party is to be distributed all over the East Side.

Electric Transportation

If in any way interested in local delivery service, don't fail to examine the electric vehicles, including delivery wagons and trucks, large and small, now on display at the

Electrical Exposition

In The New Grand Central Palace, Closing Saturday Night.

As in no other way, this Exposition gives an inside view of the simplicity and compactness with which these vehicles are constructed.

If street, suburban, and now trunk line railways, can afford only the electric service, going to enormous expense in discarding old and buying new equipment, how can any other method of transportation be seriously considered by those looking for low operating costs, freedom from breakdown, long and useful life of apparatus, and satisfactory service to the public?

There are also a number of exhibits showing that which is newest in storage battery design and construction.

This Association will gladly send free tickets of admission to anyone interested in the subject who will ask for them in writing.

The New York Electric Vehicle Association

124 W. 42d Street

JUST GOT TIRED OF HIS WIFE.

Contractor McDonald Keeps Clear of Cruelty Charge.

James P. McDonald, who built the New York, Westchester and Boston Railroad and has concessions in Hayti, was before Supreme Court Justice Gavegan yesterday in a suit for separation brought by Mrs. Edith McDonald. At the outset James W. Osborne, attorney for Mr. McDonald, told George Gordon Battle, Mrs. McDonald's lawyer, that it would injure the contractor's business if his wife pressed charges of cruelty recited in her complaint. He said that if these charges were withdrawn Mr. McDonald would admit that he had abandoned his wife.

Mrs. McDonald was willing if McDonald would withdraw certain affidavits concerning her, and McDonald agreed. Justice Gavegan said he would grant a decree after the testimony showed that McDonald had abandoned his wife and was tired of her and left. Justice Gavegan will let a referee decide the alimony to be paid. The plaintiff is now receiving \$700 a month.

PARADES PLEASED THE POPE.

Apostolic Benediction Comes Through Bishop of Newark.

Bishop O'Connor, of Newark received yesterday a cablegram from Pope Pius X. in answer to the one the Bishop sent last Sunday following the Holy Name Society demonstration in Newark. The cablegram reads:

"To the Right Reverend Bishop of Newark:

"The Holy Father, rejoicing in the public testimony of saints and religion exhibited by the societies of the Holy Name and by the great numbers of Catholic men composing them in your diocese, grants to each and every one and also to your lordship and to the faithful entrusted to your care the apostolic benediction."

"CARDINAL MERRY DEL VAL."

FINANCES BADLY MANAGED.

Expert Makes Charges Against Hudson County Officials.

The report of James Cameron on his investigation of Hudson county affairs was filed yesterday with Supreme Court Justice Swayze. It charges county officials with irregularities, mismanagement, and extravagance. It shows that the county sinking fund in \$13,831,10 short of the amount it should contain and that in addition to \$13,197,372.29 of bonds with sinking fund provisions there are outstanding \$407,272.08 of bonds for the payment of which no provision has been made. Where contracts were awarded the practice was to let the contractors order on requisition for goods not contracted for with the result that the contractor charged what he pleased.

Warrants were given and accepted for by members of the Board of Freeholders and indicate they furnished the supplies under other names.

By passing funds back and forth between the Sheriff's office and the County Collector's office the sheriff's office has been made account was wrongly charged with the expenses of the Sheriff's office. The Registrar's office, the Surrogate's office and the County Clerk's office are run at a heavy loss. The "court account" has been loaded up with expenses of other departments and over-loaded pay rolls and other extravagances. In the fiscal year 1909-10, the appropriation for incidentals was \$178,824.23.

The aggregate bonded indebtedness of the county on May 31, 1912, was \$14,094,644.37. In one year \$137,000 was spent in excess of the appropriations.

MISS LEARY IS NOT ILL.

Papal Countess Is Busy Preparing for Bazaar for Charity.

Countess Annie Leary, in her accustomed good health, was busy at her house yesterday afternoon preparing for a charity bazaar, although it was printed in a weekly paper yesterday that she was very ill.

Countess Leary is greatly interested in the welfare of the Church of St. John the Baptist, in East Seventy-sixth street, for which she is organizing the bazaar to be held on October 20. A meeting of the committee will be held at her house, 1022 Fifth avenue, on Tuesday afternoon.

WOUNDED MAN GOES ON SHOOTING.

Until Killed.

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MISS WALKER'S BURGLAR

DRAMATICALLY DOOMED

Horrible as It Is, Paul Renaud Is Adjudged Guilty of Unlawful Entry.

A sparkling drama was acted yesterday in the Court of Special Sessions right under the gables of Justices Moss, Salmon and Collins. Charlotte Walker was the star. In the cast were her playmate husband, Eugene Walter, Mrs. Donald Brian, Manager Frank Case of the Algonquin Hotel, who knows all the billboard people; his clerk, William M. Singren, and a policeman.

It was about those horrid shrieks early last Sunday morning in the Algonquin that brought so many night gowned celebrities tumbling into the corridors. On the first word of it crowds flocked into court. The show was a big success, and every one was delighted, even though Justice Moss said that Renaud's defense was "a very bad one."

Probably all his Honor referred to was the sad and tender threat to be found in all the best works, whereby the last lines condemned Paul Renaud of 3 Charles street to await sentence on October 24 for unlawful entry. That was what the law called his visit to the wrong room on the seventh floor of the Algonquin at 8:30 in the morning and his dash up the fire escape outside after Miss Walker had screamed and her husband looked out of the window. He stood at the bar, green necktie unshaved, undersized, green necktie and very sad.

"It is not a pleasant thing," said the actress with a half sob as she looked at the prisoner, "to send a man to prison. Oh, I can't, I just can't." There was a tense pause. I was sound asleep that morning," she continued, "when I woke suddenly and in the half light saw that the window was wide open and not as I had left it. Turning, quite awake now, I saw a man."

"This man?" the court asked. "Oh, it is too terrible! To see him in my room suddenly and now to have to send him to prison. Oh, I can't, I can't!" "How long was he in your room?" "Oh, not a minute, I hovered so."

"Of course every one thought I was crazy."

The next act was all Eugene Walter. He had heard a shriek from his wife and he thought she had nightmare until she screamed "There's a burglar in my room—there he goes!"

"I looked out the window," said Mr. Walter, "and saw him at the eleventh floor. Yes, this man."

Mr. Case said he responded when the hotel office was notified and that he reached the eleventh floor in time to have the man run into his arms.

Then Policeman McInerney of the Sixty-eighth street station took up the tale. The culprit himself told through an interpreter of his twelve days in this country, his selling of dry goods in France, his registry at the hotel for a room on the third floor, and his dash up "the outside stairway to see who was screaming."

The court rang the curtain down very quickly with a finding of guilty, and the stars walked out to the photographers.

RANCHMEN IN FATAL FIGHT.

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PULMOTOR SAVES HER LIFE.

Machine Used on Woman Found Unconscious From Gas.

The pulmotor, a new machine for producing artificial respiration, was used successfully last night on Sarah Cangelosi, found at 98 East Houston street unconscious from gas.

Dr. Booth of Gouverneur Hospital asked the management of the Electrical Show to send the pulmotor on exhibition to the hospital. After an hour and a half the woman recovered consciousness and will recover.

HOMES BLOWN UP BY MANIAC.

Cuts Two Women and a Man, Then Slashes Himself.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 17.—Actuated, it is alleged, by the bitterness of a long standing feud, a demented carpenter, Peter Messing, according to the county police, dynamited the homes of two neighbors today, slashed and battered two women and one man and attempted to end his own life by drawing a knife across his abdomen.

The dynamiting was in Pleasant Valley, near Sharpsburg, and a lynching was stopped only by the timely intervention of county detectives, who rescued Messing and took him to a hospital. The dynamited homes were those of William Jackson and William Rigger.

Those he attacked so viciously are Mollie Scott, 40 years old, who probably will die; James Martin and Mrs. Sarah Jackson, mother of William Jackson.

TO SAVE 59TH STREET LINE.

Stockholders of Little Street Railroad Call Meeting.

A committee composed of A. B. Moran, Henry N. Curtis and George F. Morgan requests the stockholders of the Central Park, North and East River Railroad Company to attend a meeting in Room 618, 25 Broad street, at 3 o'clock, October 21, to take action to protect their interests.

The Central Park, North and East River Railroad owns the Fifty-ninth street line and two short lines running north and south. The line was leased to the Metropolitan, but four years ago the lease was cancelled as it was not profitable. Since then the line has been operated by the company. There is a mortgage of \$1,200,000 held by the New York City Street Railway Company which may be foreclosed, and the stockholders hope to devise a plan for self-protection.

BOY ALTRUIST NABBED.

Was Collecting Transfers and Handing Them Out Gratis.

A philanthropic errand boy stood at Fifth avenue and Fourteenth street yesterday distributing street car transfers to passers-by, when a man came up and asked him if he had any left. The boy gave him a ticket and the stranger arrested him.

When arraigned before Magistrate House at the Essex Market court the boy said he was Robert Hoffman, 17 years old, employed by a clothing firm in Fifth avenue. The complainant, Warren F. Johnson, a State railroad policeman, testified that he had seen young Hoffman collect fifteen transfers from passengers alighting from the cars and had seen him give a number of them away.

Hoffman told Magistrate House that he got the transfers for some of the smaller boys who worked at the store where he worked, but that occasionally he gave one away to any passerby who looked as if he was in need.

He was held in \$500 bail for Special Sessions.

Killed in Hospital Ash Lift.

Six-year-old Daniel Curtin of 238 Monroe Street was killed in front of Gouverneur Hospital last night. While playing with other boys he was caught between the ash lift and the side of the shaft and his skull was fractured. He died while being carried into the hospital.

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